

## Message Text

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FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY CAIRO

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 018433

EXDIS - FOR AMBASSADOR FROM NEA/EGY

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, EG, US

SUBJECT: VISIT OF COPTIC POPE TO US

REFERENCE: (A) CAIRO 984; (B) 76 CAIRO 8166; (C) 76 STATE  
144361

1. NO DISPOSITION HERE TO AMEND INSTRUCTIONS YOU GAVE  
GABRA.

2. WE HAVE RECEIVED NO FURTHER INQUIRIES FROM AMERICAN  
COPTIC COMMUNITY CONCERNING PROPOSED VISIT SINCE LETTER  
FROM FATHER GABRIEL ABDELSAYED REPORTED REFTEL C. SHOULD  
SUBJECT ARISE HERE WE WILL KEEP IN MIND FAHMY'S ADVICE TO  
YOU IN REFTEL B AND WILL OF COURSE KEEP YOU INFORMED.  
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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** Z  
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**Decaption Note:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
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**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
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**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 22 May 2009  
**Disposition Event:**  
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